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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RULE 53(b)
CONTINUING PATENT APPLICATION

Sir:

This is a request for filing a  $\square$  continuation application of pending prior Application No. 09/343,001, (Confirmation No. 7400) filed June 29, 1999, and Application No. 09/342,314, (Confirmation No. 6376) filed July 1, 1999, which are both divisional applications of Application No. 08/637,323, (Confirmation No. 4168) filed April 22, 1996, which is a continuation-in-part of application of pending prior Application No. 08/566,258, filed December 1, 1995, and Application No. 08/567,391, filed December 1, 1995.

Transmitted herewith for filing are the  $\mathbf{X}$  specification (82 pages);  $\mathbf{X}$  claims (13 pages);  $\mathbf{X}$  abstract (1 page);  $\mathbf{X}$  combined executed declaration and power of attorney, as filed in the common parent Application No.; and  $\mathbf{X}$  printEFS; for the above-identified patent application.

The e	enclosed declaration is:
	Newly executed (original or copy).
X	Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d)).
	A signed statement is attached deleting inventors named in the



- The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- The prior grandparent application, Application No. 08/637,323, filed <u>April 22, 1996</u>, is assigned of record to <u>Bioqen</u>, <u>Incorporated</u>.

Also transmitted herewith are:

X	Forty-six (46) sheets of:
	X Formal Drawings.
П	Informal drawings. Formal drawings will be filed during the pendency of this application.  An assignment of the invention to
	A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the recording fee.
	Please charge \$40.00 to Deposit Account No. 06-1075 in payment of the recording fee. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is transmitted herewith.
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end	A Preliminary Amendment and Statement Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97 are closed in duplicate.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a 3-month Extension of Time to be filed in United States Application No. 09/343,001 is enclosed in duplicate.
- A check in the amount of \$930.00 in payment of the Extension of Time for United States Application No. 09/343,001 is transmitted herewith.
- Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a 3-month Extension of Time to be filed in United States Application No. 09/342,314 is enclosed in duplicate.
- A check in the amount of \$ 930.00 in payment of the Extension of Time for United States Application No. 09/342,314 is transmitted herewith.
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- the Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fee required in connection with this Petition, or to credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075.

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